Illinois Commerce Commission Pipeline Safety

Pipeline Safety Report

Inspection #: 2015-P-00412

Operator: AMEREN ILLINOIS COMPANY	Operator ID#: 32513					
Exit Meeting Contact: John Sigler	Total Man Days: 3					
Pipeline Safety Representative(s): Donald Hankins						
Company Representative to Receive Report: Michael Fuller	Emailed Date:					
Company Representative's Email Address: mfuller2@ameren.com	01/07/2016					

Inspection Summary

Inspection Type	Location	ICC Analyst	Inspection Unit(s)	Man Day(s)	Inspection Date(s)	Contact(s)
Design Testing and Construction	Champaign	Donald Hankins	Champaign	3	12/15/2015, 12/16/2015, 12/17/2015	John Sigler

Statement of Activities

On December 15, 16, & 17, 2015, staff conducted a construction audit at Ameren Illinois, in Champaign, Illinois, to determine compliance with applicable IL Adm. Codes and the Code of Federal Regulations adopted via IL Adm. Part 590.

On December 15, 2015, an Ameren Illinois crew attempted to install a service line at 605 West Michigan Avenue in Urbana, Illinois. Ameren Illinois had an equipment failure to their directional bore machine. This put a hold on installing the service line on this date.

On December 16, 2015, Ameren returned to 605 West Michigan Avenue in Urbana, Illinois, and dug up street light wires on each side of the road. Ameren then made a 138 foot directional bore to install the new service line. The pipe that was used was 1 inch Driscoplex pipe, with tracer wire being pulled in to the ditch along with the gas service line.

On December 17, 2015, Ameren Illinois made the connection of the service line to the gas main using electro fusion fittings and an electro fusion tapping tee. The service line was air tested to 102 pounds for 10 minutes, with no leaks being found.

Exit Statement

INSPECTION FINDINGS

Design Testing and Construction

Issues(s) Found:

[NO ISSUES FOUND]

Notice Of Amendment(s) Found:

[NO NOAS FOUND]

Notice Of Violation(s) Found:

[NO NOPVS FOUND]

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PAST INSPECTION FINDINGS

Issue(s) Corrected:

[NO ISSUES CORRECTED]

Notice Of Amendment(s) Corrected:

[NO NOAS CORRECTED]

Notice of Violations(s) Corrected:

[NO NOPVS CORRECTED]